1 2 3 4 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 5 DISTRICT OF NEVADA * * * 6 7 ME2 PRODUCTIONS, INC., Case No. 2:17-CV-667 JCM (NJK) 8 Plaintiff(s), ORDER 9 v. 10 SANDRA SANCHEZ, et al., 11 Defendant(s). 12 13 Presently before the court is Magistrate Judge Koppe's report and recommendation 14 following an order to show cause as to why the defendants should not be severed and all but the 15 first-named defendant dismissed. (ECF No. 14). Plaintiff ME2 Productions, Inc., filed an 16 objection. (ECF No. 17). Defendants have not filed a response, and the time to do so has since 17 passed. 18 The present case is one of many filed by plaintiff against numerous Doe defendants. 19 Exhibit 1 to ME2's objection contains its memorandum and points of authority to support its 20 objections to the instant report and recommendation. (ECF No. 17-1). The exhibit is a carbon 21 copy of plaintiff's objections in the case of ME2 Productions, Inc. v. Bayu, case no. 2:17-cv-00724-22 JCM-NJK. The court issued an order in Bayu that adopted Magistrate Judge Koppe's report and 23 recommendation in that case and severed all but the first-named defendant. For the same reasons, 24 the court finds severance here is appropriate. The remaining first-named defendant who will not 25 be dismissed is Sandra Sanchez. 26 27

James C. Mahan U.S. District Judge

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Accordingly, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Magistrate Judge Koppe's report and recommendation (ECF No. 14) be, and the same hereby is, ADOPTED in part and REJECTED in part, consistent with the foregoing. IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that all defendants except for Sandra Sanchez be, and the same hereby are, dismissed without prejudice. IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that defendant Carlos Valdovinos's motions to dismiss and sever (ECF Nos. 27, 29) are DENIED as moot because this defendant has been dismissed from the action. DATED November 15, 2017. UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE